

Chaska Valley Herald.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

CRIMES AND CRIMINALS.

Charles McGill the murderer of Mary Kelly, has been sentenced to be hung at Cleveland, Ohio on the 13th day of February, next.

It is reported that James H. Wheatley, proprietor of the sugar refinery of Braskiey, N. Y. is missing with nearly a quarter of a million of his funds.

The examination of Dr. Spear and Melville Whitman of Chelsea, Mass., on the charge of poisoning the mother of the latter, resulted in the acquittal of both.

An incendiary fire lately occurred at Jackson, D. T., which destroyed Poor & Staff's live stable, burning 17 horses. The fire was caused by an incendiary.

F. G. Minor, convicted of bird snatching at Cleveland, O., has been sentenced to four months imprisonment in the workhouse, and to pay a fine of \$100 and costs.

After two weeks severe raiding by the St. Louis police, twelve out of fourteen notorious gambling houses of that city have closed their doors, not being able to stand the racket any longer.

C. W. Angel the secretary of the Pullman Palace Car company, who ran away from Chicago last August, taking with him \$120,000 of the company's funds, was seen about ten days ago in Canada.

Monica who attempted the assassination of King Alfonso, of Spain, at the request of his country, was examined by a medical commission, as to his mental condition and has been pronounced entirely sane.

Is an effigy at Plaqueineau, La., between A. C. Brule and State Senator Geo. B. Waite, the former received a flesh wound in the arm, and the latter a serious wound in the side, and is now in a critical condition. Cause, politics.

At Sturgis City, D. T., Bolder Ford, a noted gambler, lately shot and instantly killed John Russel, a Texas cattle man. The only cause alleged for the murder is that Ford, drunk and wanted to kill somebody. He is now at Deadwood.

The San Francisco Chronicle published an interview with a number of passengers by air that at the time of the accident the captain was intoxicated and carousing in his cabin with a woman passenger.

The Galveston News Fort Worth specifies the robbery of a stage from Yuma near St. Mary's, by two masked men. The passengers concealed their valuables. The robbers obtained from them \$20, and \$90 from the mails, overlooking valuable packages.

Three tramps the other day, entered the house of a farmer, Mr. Theo. Lannan, near Parkersburg, W. Va., beat the farmer's wife and daughter in a brutal manner, seized everything that could be of use to them and demanded. They were pursued but were not captured.

It appears from the reports of bank superintendents and the bank examiner that the Merchants and Mechanics bank of Troy, N. Y., is hopelessly insolvent and its officers have been guilty of grave irregularities and concealed the true condition of the bank by false statements.

Robert A. Pedrick, who defrauded his employers, Bank & B. Co., New York city importers of furs and silks, of \$108,000, and by means of forgeries swindled the customers amounting to \$12,000, has sent a confession through the mail to the Associated Press. He says his wrong doing was brought about by speculations in stock, and that when he retrieved his first losses and had considerable money on hand his broker failed and he lost all. He states that he is filled with remorse on account of his wrong doing, and asserts that he alone is to blame.

On the morning of October 28th the store of Messrs. Andrew & Bros., No. 37 Third Street, St. Paul, Minn., was burglarized, and valuable stolen. The burglar gained access to the store through the skylight.

On the morning of the 29th of October the case was given to the police, and within an hour, Chief of Police Webber, found the goods and arrested the burglar at the saloon of Frederick Luhren, corner of St. Peter and Third Street. The burglar proves to be a Chicago burglar and a man of the name of Sherry George of Chicago, he committed the crime, and when confronted by Officer Race, he shot and killed the officer. Officer Race was shot and killed on October 28th, to avenge the killing of George, for a reward of \$1000 from Chicago, and was returned there for trial for murder.

CASUALTIES.

A fire at Muskegon, Mich., destroyed \$65,500 worth of lumber.

The Clarendon hotel at Saratoga, N. Y. has been damaged by fire to the amount of \$15,000.

The schooner Graham Barker, is reported ashore at Biddle's Point, near the head of Lake Michigan.

The picking establishment of F. & J. Heinz, Pittsburg, Pa., has been destroyed by fire. Loss \$50,000, wholly covered by insurance.

The two H. Smith with lighter in tow, says a Buffalo, N. Y. telegraph, went ashore to Tuckamore reef. The tug will be a total loss. All men missing.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

His Excellency, Pierre Bachand, treasurer of the Province of Quebec, is dead.

Caleb Cushing withdraws from Ben. Morris, Massachusetts State ticket because of advanced age. He is over 80 years old.

The DesMoines Register's official State reviews for Iowa show Hull's majority 9,380. The rest of the Republican State ticket is about the same.

The President has appointed "Halbert" E. Paine, of Wisconsin, Commissioner of Patents, etc. Ellis Spens resigned, and he has entered upon the duties of the office.

The U. S. State Department has telegraphed our minister at Madrid to convey to King Alfonso President Hayes' congratulations at the King's escape from assassination.

President Hayes has accepted the invitation extended to him by J. R. Bond, Collector. There are other prominent citizens of Madrid, to attend the fair of the Royal Institute in that city.

The Chinese minister has also accepted an invitation to present.

Gen. Sherman, accompanied by Mrs. Sherman and Col. Bacon, of his staff, commanding general; Judge Advocate General D. G. Palmer, of the engineer corps, and General Williamson, commissioner of the land office, left Washington for Indianapolis on the 28th inst., to attend the reunion of the members of the Tennessee in that city.

Dr. Reilly who went from Chicago down the lower Mississippi to the yellow fever districts, publishes a card in which he corrects the false impression which have been given regarding his work on that expedition. He shows that the statements reported as coming from Lieut. Hall, of St. Louis, and con-

trary strictures on him, were not founded in facts. His connection with the relief boat appears to have been entirely credible to himself and valuable to the managers of the expedition.

President Hayes, at the White House, on the evening of October 29th, entered a dinner such of the members of the old Constitutional literary club as were in Washington. These consist of President Hayes, W. R. Rogers, the President's private secretary; T. N. Smith, postmaster in the army; Judge W. H. Brewster, James A. R. Spofford, librarian of Congress; A. Dutton, clerk in the department of justice; R. D. Bussey, W. W. Warden, and Henry C. Borden, lawyer; Wm. Guildford, clerk in the treasury department, and S. P. Butler, journalist. This was the twenty-ninth anniversary of the club. Brief papers containing interesting reminiscences were exchanged, and the reunion was very agreeable in all its features.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The yellow fever is rapidly subsiding under the influence of frosty weather.

It has been estimated that full 15,000 yellow fever absences have returned to Memphis during the past week.

It is stated that England has concluded a purchase of Delegoa bay in Southeastern Africa, from Portugal, for \$300,000.

The dry goods house of Kay & Bro. of New York has failed. Liabilities \$300,000. Outside speculation in real estate was the cause.

Show to the depth of nine inches fell in the northwestern part of Ontario, on Sunday night Oct. 27th, doing great damage to driftwood and other trees.

The Mechanics & Laborers Savings bank, Jersey City, has temporarily suspended payment, and enforced the sixty day rule.

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GLEANINGS FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

A Linzinger factory is appetizing the Deas Moines atmosphere.

A New York store is a set of Roman furniture 400 years old.

South Africa is highly recommended as a picture to hang in the winter.

Count Schimmeleppen is the name of the grand chamberlain of the king of Holland.

Miss Sadie Sykes, by a vote of 201 to 100, has been declared the prettiest girl at Reno.

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The Mother's Life.
The mother's life is full of prose
From early day to day, 'tis close,
But of all her hours half care,
Some little poem unaware,
Is written down within her heart,
And of her life becomes a part.

Some loving words a child may say,
A golden curl long put away,
A hand that's been a mother's bower,
An outgrown dress the baby wore,
A broken toy or faded flower,
May touch the heart-strings any hour.

Mrs. Atkinson's Baby.

The Atkinsons have had terrible time over their baby. Mr. Atkinson sent home a folding crib, with the slats made in two pieces and hung upon hinges. When they opened their crib and put the mattress in it, Mr. Atkinson omitted to fix securely the catches that hold the slats. Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson went to early that morning about six o'clock to find their baby had gone. The result was that the slats slowly descended, and deposited the mattress and the baby upon the floor. The baby being particularly wide awake, crawled out into the room, and seeing a light in the entry, went through the door just as Mr. Atkinson's aunt, Miss Boggs, was coming up the stairs to bed. She picked the baby up, and finding that his father and mother were asleep, she carried her to room in the third story, determined to take care of it the rest of the night.

About an hour later Mrs. Atkinson awoke, and thought she would glance over the crib to see how the baby was getting along. No sooner had she done so than she jumped from the bed in alarm. The baby was not there! The notion seemed to have fallen out of the whole contrivance. Her first thought was that the baby was lying under the mattress, smothered to death. She pulled the mattress aside, but there were no signs of the baby.

Then, wild with alarm, she shooed Mr. Atkinson, and told him to get up. Atkinson groaned out, in a sleepy tone:

"The paroxysm is in the closet; go and get it yourself."

"Alonso!" shrieked Mrs. Atkinson, "you don't understand! The baby is gone! It is gone—stolen!—kidnapped!—murdered, may I say! What shall I do?—what shall I do?"

"Now be calm, Julia," said Alonso, getting out of bed; "don't get hysterical. The child, most likely, is under the bed."

"No, it isn't; no, it's not there!" exclaimed Mrs. Atkinson, upon her hands and knees.

"Possibly," said Alonso, beginning to feel uneasy, "he crept into the closet; let us look."

"This is horrible!" said Mrs. Atkinson, clasping her hands.

"Do you think?" asked Mrs. Atkinson, "that he could have crawled into a bureau drawer and pulled it to after him?"

"Certainly not!" said Mrs. Atkinson. "You know he couldn't."

"I think I hear him now. He has fallen out of the widow!" said Mrs. Atkinson, as a faint wail floated up from the back yard.

"No, it's only Mrs. Magruder's cat, yowling on the fence," replied Atkinson, as he closed the sash. Have you looked in the bath-tub in the next room? Perhaps he has gone to take a bath."

"Drowned! I know it! I'm sure of it!" said Mrs. Atkinson, rushing into the bath-room.

"He's not here," said Atkinson. "Could he have gone down stairs and fallen into the sugar-bucket in the pantry?"

"We must search the whole house for him," said Mrs. Atkinson.

So they began the hunt. They looked everywhere. In the clothes hamper, in the kitchen cupboard, in the parlor, in the pantry, and even in the cellar, but without avail.

"He couldn't have gone up stairs," said Mrs. Atkinson, "because he can't climb the stairs."

"No; he must have been stolen! He has been snatched by burglars! I shall never, never see him again—never!"

"Don't give way, Julia. Be calm. I will go at once for the police."

Mr. Atkinson dressed himself hurriedly, and dashed down stairs and across the front street. He met a policeman almost at the corner, and frantic accents met his ears before him. The policeman sounded an alarm, and soon had six other policemen at hand. They entered the house, and proceeded to examining the fastenings. Everything was right, and one of the policemen said:

"In my opinion the burglar is in the house yet."

"We'll go for him," said another. So they drew their revolvers and proceeded to search the building. Presently Mr. Atkinson heard the report of a pistol in the kitchen. He rushed down.

"I think I've killed him," said policeman Jones. "Bring a light quick!"

"And killed the baby, too!" shrieked Mrs. Atkinson.

"By Atkinson, I forgot about the baby," said the officer.

Then the light came and they found that policeman Jones had shot his dog, which had followed him into the house. The dog, Mr. Smith's pistol went off accidentally, and the bullet hit the kitchen clock, which at once struck nine hundred and eighty one, and the confusion and racket so unstrung Mrs. Atkinson's nerves that she went into hysterics and emitted successive yell of a terrible character. This brought Miss Boggs down from the third story in great alarm.

"What is the matter?" she called out.

"Burglar?" said Atkinson. "Don't you know that burglars have broken into the house and stolen the baby? Why, we've been having the awfullest time you ever heard of for the last two hours."

"Why, I've got the baby up-stairs with me," said Miss Boggs. "I've had him all night."

"You have!" exclaimed the party in a breath. "Of course."

"Do you mean to tell me," asked Atkinson, with supernatural calmness, "that that baby was quietly sleeping in your room all this time."

"Yes."

Atkinson simply looked at her. He felt that language was unequal to the expression of his feelings. Mrs. Atkinson flew up stairs, two steps at a time. The policeman followed and filed out. Jones pulling his disengaged coat by the tail. Atkinson went to bed with raging anger in his soul; and the next morning he put a sheet iron bottom, fastened with rivets, upon the folding crib.

A little boy from New York went into the country visiting. He had a bowl of bread and milk. He tasted it and then hesitated a moment, when his mother asked him if he didn't like it, to which he replied, smacking his lips: "Yes, ma. I was wishing our milkman would keep cow."

HOUSE, FARM, GARDEN

Agricultural Notes.

Farmers in Michigan are largely sowing the Clawson wheat, regardless of what the millers say against it.

A much larger breadth of wheat is being sown in the sections where winter wheat is grown, than was put in last year.

A Vermont paper affirms that many pastures in that State are carrying more pounds of grasshoppers than sheep.

Natural pasture in a proper stage of growth contains seventy-five per cent. water and twenty-five per cent. of dry food. This is a correct proportion to be kept in mind in selecting other cattle food.

The experiment of Judge Martin G. Evans of Rutland, Vt., in importing the migratory quail is proving a success.

They are often seen and heard in the woods where they have been placed, and are now raising a large number of young birds, some of the nests having twelve and fourteen eggs.

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A. EISELINE.
DEALER IN
General Merchandise

WACONIA, MINN.

—
Goods at St. Paul and Minneapolis prices.

Product taken in exchange for goods at CASH market prices.

LAKE HOUSE,

A. F. SCHUETZ,
WACONIA, MINN.

—
The best accommodations for Travellers, Fishing Parties and Pass to Suckers. The hotel is closely situated on the beautiful Charwater Lake. Stable and water on the premises.

FARM FOR SALE!

I hereby offer my farm, known as the Berlin farm situated in Lakewood, for sale. Said farm has 80 acres and is situated with good water, stable and a large barn. Also a good team house and ample barn room. Also all the machinery necessary to carry on the same, including a new harvester.

TERMS—\$1000 cash and balance on long time. For further particulars inquire of the ad-

dresser.
Aug. 1st 1878.

JERRIE EHEVANN, Prop.

FARM FOR SALE.

I offer my farm, the old Oberle homestead for sale. The farm consists of 32 acres, well culti-
vated, with good timber a 1/4 acre inclosed. Also
good buildings, etc. Prices reasonable, and half cash
and balance at time to suit purchaser.

Aug. 1st 1878.

KOSUTH OBERLE.

Julius Enger. OLOW HANSON.

Enger & Hanson

Carpenters and Builders,

CHASKA, MINN.

We will construct for buildings, such as dwell-
ings, business houses, barns and granaries at
the lowest living prices, and guarantee all
work. We will also furnish all kinds of building
material.

Plums and specifications also executed on de-
mand.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

The undersigned would respectfully announce
to the public of Carver and the adjoining Coun-
ties, that he has just opened a

New Grocery Store

In Chaska and invite the people to give him a
call.

Everything in the line of Groceries is on
hand; the goods of the best quality. Come
and see me before you buy elsewhere.

—
Fritz Salter.

—
In the Millinery Store of Mrs. Salter the
ladies will find a splendid assortment of
HATS, RIBBONS, TRIMMINGS, EM-
BROIDERIES, &c.

just received. They are of the latest styles,
and will be sold at a bargain. Ladies are re-
spectfully invited to call and examine the goods.

Mrs. F. Salter.

CHASKA ELEVATORS,

W. SEGER & SON,

DEALERS IN

WHEAT

AND

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN.

CHASKA, MINN.

Store wheat, grind and keep on hand
all kinds of Feed, Corn Meal, Graham and
Pye Meal. Grinding 5 cents per bushel.

CENTENNIAL LAKE HOUSE

JACOB KERN, Prop.

LAKETOWN, Carver County, Minn.

HOTEL, SALOON AND SUMMER RESORT.

Finest Liquors and choice cigars con-
stantly on hand. Laundry at any time of the day.

Jacob Kern and Jerry Ehevann, will attend to
say auction sale in Carver County.

THEODORE KENNING.

Contractor & Builder

CHASKA, MINN.

We take contracts for building of dwelling and
business houses of all kinds. Will furnish
material and execute all contracts with
promptness.

Office at H. Kennings.

Chaska Bakery

AND

Confectionary Store!

The undersigned respectfully
invites the attention of the citizens of Chaska &
visitors to his

BAKERY & STORE.

Fresh bread, yeast, kidney beans, etc.

coffee, tea, sugar, flour, etc.

and dried fruit on order for weddings, fishing
parties and excursions, etc.

Shop on 2nd St. e. of H. M. office.

HERMAN ERREN, Prop.

W. O. ODELL,

(WITH L. L. BAXTER)

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

CHASKA, MINN.

Office over Herald office.

NEW Furniture STORE.

OF

Bell & Mulkens,

(IN HERALD BLOCK.)

CHASKA, MINN.

Repairing promptly attended to
at reasonable and charges reasonable.

LOCAL NEWS.

Minneapolis & St. Louis

Railway.

TIME CARD NO. 8.

Train going South.

Way freight,

Passenger,

Mixed,

St. Louis Express,

Going North.

Passenger,

Passenger,

Mixed,

St. Louis Express,

Way freight,

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1 spoon	\$75	1.25	2.00	4.00	6.00
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3 spoons	1.75	2.75	4.50	7.50	12.00
4 spoons	2.25	3.25	5.00	10.00	18.00
5 spoons	2.75	3.75	6.00	12.00	22.00
6 spoons	3.25	4.25	7.00	12.50	25.00
7 spoons	3.75	4.75	8.00	15.00	30.00
8 spoons	4.25	5.25	9.00	18.00	35.00
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25¢ per line for 25¢ per line.
10¢ insertion, and 35¢ each subsequent insertion. Payment required on delivery of ad.

10¢ extra for 25¢ per line.

Local notices 10¢ per line for one insertion.

Transient advertisements payable in advance.

NEW BUSINESS CARDS

Hardware, Stoves & Tin-Ware.

MEUWISSEN & WIRTZ
BENTON, MINN.

Successor to

L. H. HOCHHAUSEN,
keeps on hand a large assortment of
Agricultural Implements and Mechanic's Tools,
Nails, Glass, Sash and Doors, and all other
articles found in a first class Hardware
Store. Will sell at St.

Paul and Minneapolis Prices.
Timing of fallkins done on short notice.
Give us a call before buying your goods elsewhere.

—Peter Wirtz is also a Notary Public.
Insurance agent for Hail and Life. Will
also give music instructions, by the month
or by the hour.

Blacksmith & Repair Shop
WATERFORD PLOWS.

The undersigned has opened up a new class
Blacksmith and repair shop, in the old
Delsing shop, next door to Hennings
Store. He invites his old
friends and customers.

All work guaranteed.

Horse and ox showing a specialty.

The celebrated Watertown stables and
cross plows constantly kept on hand for sale
as cheap as any other first class plow.

JOSEPH DELSING.

Union Brewery

GEORGE KARCHER, Proprietor.
(Successor to L. H. H.)

Chaska, Minn.

Manufacturer of No. 1 Beer, which will
be delivered in any part of the county promptly on
order.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Notes is hereunto given that the partners
and proprietors of the firm made of
H. G. Bennett and R. L. H. this day dissolve
by mutual consent. Mr. H. G. continues the business
and pays all toll contracts by said firm.

Chaska, Sept. 23d 1878.

GUSTAVE AGGEMANN,
EDWIN RUDOLF

CHASKA V. Sept. 1st 1878.

Chaska & Levator.

We hope respectfully to inform our friends
that we have added to our Elevator a new feature.

WAREHOUSE PROPRIETOR.

have made other changes, which enable us
to receive, store, clean and ship all kinds of
grain, particularly when in a green state,
both for home and foreign. By the arrangement
we are able to pay our customers the full value
of their grain, and will endeavor to give them
the best price for their interest to give us their
patronage.

We are also prepared to lay Barley, Oats,
Corn, Rice, &c., and will always pay the highest
market cash price.

Flour, Shovels, Barn and all other kinds of
Tools and hardware constantly on hand and sold at
the lowest prices.

Fuel grinding done at one shilling per sack.

W. SEEGER & SON.

M. H. MUYRES

FIRE, LIFE & MAR.

INSURANCE AGENT,

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Office over HERALD office, 2nd St.

CHASKA, MINN.

New Furniture Store

OF

BURKHART BROS.

(Next door to National Hotel)

CHASKA, MINNESOTA.

Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of

chairs, beds, desks, bureaus, lounges, sofas,
picture frames, coffins, &c., &c.

Repairing promptly attended to. All work

guaranteed, and charges reasonable.

BURKHART BROS.

HARNESS & SADDLERY

BY

G. B. KOFLER

WATERFORD, MINN.

Keeps constantly on hand a large as-

sortment of HARNESS, SADDLES, BLANKETS
AND TRIMMINGS

Repairing done with neatness and
care.

See page 17-18

MARKET HOTEL,

Corner 1st St. & 1st Ave. North.

FRANK DARK, Manager

Minneapolis West.

This hotel has just been newly fitted
up and offers to the traveling public
ad borders the best of accommodations.

Good stables and an experienced
hostler are at service any time.

OLD ETTLE'S HOME

by

JAKE BYHOFER.

opposite Court House,

CHASKA, MINN.

A good class of beer choice. Wines and

Liquors and Cigars always on hand. Give

me a call take a drink and go away satis-

fact.

The Weekly Valley Herald.

TERMS, \$1.50 Per Annum.

A. L. DU TOIT & CO., Proprietors.

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COUNTY OFFICERS.

Treasurer—Peter Wiegert.

Attala—L. Streukens.

Register of Deeds—F. Greiner.

Surgeon of County—F. Krueger.

Attala—L. Streukens.

Sheriff—H. J. Chevre.

Judge of Probate—J. A. Sargent.

School Superintendent—Wm. Benson.

Coroner—Robt. Miller.

County Commissioners—S. B. Kohler, Chas.

J. Carlson, Adam Hill.

The next State Senate will contain some

able men, and well known to State history.

We recall the following. Hon. E. M.

Wilson, J. N. Castle, C. D. Gilligan, C.

E. Buck, D. Buck, D. L. Buel, Henry

Hinds, W. H. Mills, C. A. Pillsbury, Genl

C. P. Adams and Michael Duran.

The Lake City Leader, Messrs. Jones

and Russell editors and publishers, comes to

us this week with a new heading and en-

larged to 7 column quarto form. It is

now one of the largest and ablest concur-

rent in the State.

Success, friend Morris.

The report of the committee on the poor farm was read and approved.

Resolved, That the resolution offered, to

request the Co. Treasurer to procure a full

set of weights and measures etc for the

county to be referred to Mr. Tiffany as a com-

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Nov 18th, Bill, to the Auditor, Postmaster

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AT WEST POINT.

Twas Commencement eve, and the ball-room belle
In her dazzling gown was mirth that night
As the family round the floor fell.
And the waltzers whirled in a blaze of light
I can see them now in the moonbeam's glaice
Across the street on a billyow floor
That's all in wails with the mirthy dance
To a music that floats in my heart once
more.

A long half hour in the twilight leaves
Of the shrubbery—she with coquettish grace
A daintiness in their flowing sleeves
A dream of beauty in her queenly smile,
Through her two bright eyes I could see the

glow
Of cathedral windows, as she in the aisle
Went to make her's own flow.

All in a dream of Commencement eve,
I remember I lowlywardly banished a gloe
On the dainty arm in its flowing sleeve,
With a broken sentence of hope and love,
But the diamonds that flashed in her way

And the beauty that shone in her faultless
face,
Are all I recall as I struggled there
A poor boy by a web of love.

Yet a touching, coquettish face I see,
As the moonlight falls on the pavement
I can hear her laugh in the melody
Of the waltzer's music across the way,
And the waltzer's glow so bright and small,
That I shot as she slipped her leperonade,
Till I packed it away. I think, with all
Of those traps lost in our Northern rale.

But I never can list to that waltz divine,
With its golden music, joy and pain,
But I can't like the flavor of the wind
To my heart the warmth of the past again.
A short flirtation—that's all, you know—
Some faded flowers, a silken tress,
The letters I burned up, years ago.

I suppose, could she see I am maimed and old
She'd soften the scorn that was charged
To me.

When I chose the bars of the gray and gold,
And followed the waltz to its bitter fate,
But I was to the side of Northern blight
And the stars to the south of the Southern gray;
And I would that the Northern star but knew
How the Southern cross is born to day.

THE ETCHING DIAMONDS.

Arthur Stangate, attorney-at-law, was my brother. He had succeeded to my father's business, and no man was more esteemed and trusted in all Rumington, and it was a rich and important place. My brother's offices were in the town, two miles distant, but he did almost as much business in the city as the city itself. The great folks employed him; not his best client was Sir Etcham Eckfield, a *big* Indian judge, very wealthy, and the possessor of some rare and costly jewels, known in this country as the Etching diamonds. Their name even makes me shudder now.

One evening, as Arthur was preparing to return to his office, where important to him, was delayed by a short visit. Sir Etcham's groom left a parcel, with a note, stating that the famous diamond contained the famous Etching diamonds, which their owner thought safest to entrusted to Arthur's care, as he had been unexpectedly called to London.

"I don't care what needs they leave me," said my brother; "but I don't like such trusts as these. Still, I suppose I must keep them."

Of course, he could not send the back, so he telegraphed, he once proceeded to his study to look it in the iron safe. I went with him, and with a woman's curiosity and love for jewelry, besought a peep at the gems before they were put away.

Arthur, the best brother in the world, instantly removed the paper cover discovering a square incense box, brass bands, with a key tied to the bundle. Opening it, he found the famous gems. They were indeed magnificent, set in the massive Indian fashion, while many of the diamonds were yet uncut. One by one, bracelets, bangles, necklets, Arthur lit, and dashed in the lamp-light before my dazzled vision.

He was holding a superb emerald and diamond necklace in his hand, for admiration, when happening to raise my eyes a cry of alarm burst from my lips.

"What is it, Nelly?" asked Arthur.
"Oh, a man!" I replied. "See, the window is unbarred, and I am sure I saw a man looking in from the tree outside."

"Nonsense!" cried Arthur.

Nevertheless, being up the window, called, and gazed in every direction. There was nothing—not a sigh, not a sound; and as I was that I had been mistaken, he fastened the latch, and dropped the curtain.

As, however, he was about to put away the key, he said, "Arthur, would it not be better to place them in the safe in your bedroom?"

He agreed in the advisability, and locked them up; then, having cautioned me to see well to the house-festivities, and asked again if I was not really frightened to remain alone with night, only the servants—Jane and Jenkins, he left for town. I saw everything was safe, and found that she can support herself in case her husband turns politician.

An Indianapolis barber who abandoned his business and went into the ministry, was suddenly called upon to baptize three candidates. He got along very well but, after baptizing the first he astonished his congregation by lustily shouting "Next!"

An old Irish soldier, who prided himself on his bravery, had had a fight in the battle of Ball's Bluff. When asked if he had retreated and made good his escape as others did on that famous occasion, he replied: "Oh, in that case, a waiter goes round with a pair of bellows and blows the smoke from before each face till he recognises the person called for, fact, gentlemen."

The elections in the United States of course were decided peacefully, and the regular revolution is not to be organized without any alarm or trouble.

The new President will be shot to-morrow, and tranquillity will be restored. The people of Santander have adopted resolutions expressing their esteem for and confidence in the old President, whom they shot yesterday. There is no interruption to business.

Therefore I must get out by the window. They will not hear me, for they believe the box is in the study, and will take them long to discover their mistake." Opening the window I got out on the veranda. How fearfully it slept! Could I do it? Yes, by pressing my feet against the guitar. Slowly I went foot by foot, until I reached Arthur's window. My heart leaped as I found it unbroken. Quickly I entered, opened and unlocked the iron safe, and with the diamonds, more slowly and with greater difficulty returned.

Reaching my own room I did not enter; for what could two helpless women do against strong, evil men, bent on plunder? Indeed, I ordered Jane to tear a sheet into threads, which having attached to

the box, I bade her lower it to me, after I had descended by the trellis.

She did as I directed, then joining me, we sat down between us as we ran from the house.

We had not gone a dozen yards before the dread of pursuit and having the diamonds wrested from us possessed me.

"Jane," I said, "this will never do. Let me make for the hollow oak. We can put the box in that; they'll never find it before help comes."

Hastening in the direction together, we managed to rise the box high enough to fit it into the hollow oak. I knew it was safe. I then told Jane to run to Haworth's, the nearest house, across the people, and bring some of the male servants back. She wanted me to go with her, but I dared not leave the neighborhood of the tree, least any miserable chance should occur of the burglars finding the treasure. Crouching among the bushes some yards off, I made the girl hasten. The house attracted my attention. M-ight with the jewels was discovered.

My heart stood still, and the blood in every vein turned cold. With Jenkins there were three of them. Though the darkness I could they were beating and searching the bushes. They guessed we could not carry the box far, and evidently were in hopes of finding it before help came.

Three, three, they approached so near to where I was that my hair stood on end. The fourth time it was Jenkins himself. I knew it was he because at the house attracted my attention. M-ight with the jewels was discovered.

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TERMS—Stock cash and balances on long time. For further particulars inquire of the owner.

Aug. 14th 1878.

JEROME EHEMANN, Prop.

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I offer my farm, the old Oberle homestead for sale. The farm consists of 80 acres, well culti- vated, with good timber and a fine house. Also good barns, etc. Price reasonable, and half cash and balances due to sell purchaser.

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